

Whereas miners have struggled, in their lives and in their work, to obtain health and safety protections;

Whereas the terrible mining tragedy at Monongah, West Virginia, that occurred on December 6, 1907, is recognized for causing the greatest loss of lives in American industrial history, and this tragedy helped to launch the national effort to secure the safety and health of our miners that continues to this day; and

Whereas miners still today risk life and limb in their labors: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) designates December 6, 2009, as “National Miners Day”, in appreciation, honor, and remembrance of the accomplishments and sacrifices of the miners of the Nation; and

(2) encourages the people of the United States to participate in local and national activities celebrating and honoring the contributions of miners.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 2725. Mr. WEBB submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2847, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, and Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

SA 2725. Mr. WEBB submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2847, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, and Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 170, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

SEC. 220. USE OF FUNDS FOR TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES.

At the discretion of the Attorney General, amounts appropriated under the heading “COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING SERVICES” under the heading “OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS” under title II of division B of the Omnibus Appropriations Act, 2009 (Public Law 111-8; 123 Stat. 583) for law enforcement technologies and interoperable communications for Southside Virginia law enforcement for technology upgrades may be available to the sheriffs’ offices of Pittsylvania, Cumberland, Bedford, Henry, Brunswick, Campbell, and Greene counties in Virginia and the Sheriff’s Office of the City of Martinsville, Virginia for law enforcement technology.

NOTICE OF HEARING

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Mr. BINGAMAN. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and the public that a hearing has been scheduled before the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. The hearing will be held on Thursday, November 19, 2009, at 10 a.m., in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony on environmental stewardship policies related to offshore energy production.

Because of the limited time available for the hearing, witnesses may testify by invitation only. However, those wishing to submit written testimony for the hearing record may do so by sending it to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, United States Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510-6150, or by e-mail to Abigail_Campbell@energy.senate.gov.

For further information, please contact Linda Lance at (202) 224-7556 or Abby Campbell at (202) 224-1219.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Environment and Public Works be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on November 4, 2009, at 10:15 a.m. in room 406 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Finance be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on November 4, 2009, at 10 a.m. in room 215 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on November 4, 2009, at 2:30 p.m.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on November 4, 2009, at 10 a.m.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Indian Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on November 4, 2009, at 2:15 p.m. in room 628 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on November 4, 2009, at 2 p.m. in room SD-226 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building, to conduct a hearing entitled “Nominations.”

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on National Parks be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate to conduct a hearing on November 4, 2009, at 2:30 p.m. in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON OCEANS, ATMOSPHERE, FISHERIES, AND COAST GUARD

Mr. MERKLEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Oceans, Atmosphere, Fisheries, and Coast Guard of the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on November 4, 2009, at 10 a.m., in room 253 of the Russell Senate Office Building.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

FOREIGN TRAVEL FINANCIAL REPORTS

In accordance with the appropriate provisions of law, the Secretary of the Senate herewith submits the following reports for standing committees of the Senate, certain joint committees of the Congress, delegations and groups, and select and special committees of the Senate, relating to expenses incurred in the performance of authorized foreign travel:

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95-384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency

Elizabeth Croker:
Switzerland

Franc

1,178.30

1,178.30

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U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009—Continued

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
United States	Dollar				6,649.60				6,649.60
Total			1,178.30		6,649.60				7,827.90

SENATOR BLANCHE L. LINCOLN,
Chairman, Committee on Agriculture, Oct. 7, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95—384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Arthur Cameron:									
Poland	Zloty		548.96						548.96
United States	Dollar				6,085.52				6,085.52
Paul Grove:									
Pakistan	Rupee		120.00						120.00
Afghanistan	Afghani		80.00						80.00
Kyrgyzstan	Som		100.00						100.00
Turkmenistan	Manat		130.00						130.00
United States	Dollar				12,573.00				12,573.00
Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison:									
Kuwait	Dinar		414.79						414.79
United States	Dollar				10,678.43				10,678.43
Dennis A. Balkham:									
Kuwait	Dinar		414.79						414.79
United States	Dollar				11,288.03				11,288.03
David W. Davis:									
Kuwait	Dinar		414.79						414.79
United States	Dollar				8,068.59				8,068.59
Paul Grove:									
Kuwait	Dinar		218.00						218.00
Lebanon	Pound		132.00						132.00
United States	Dollar				3,687.02				3,687.02
Arthur Cameron:									
France	Euro		600.00						600.00
United States	Dollar				7,823.72				7,823.72
Howard Sutton:									
France	Euro		778.00						778.00
United States	Dollar				7,823.73				7,823.73
Senator George V. Voinovich:									
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Convertible Marka		141.00						141.00
Lithuania	Lita		800.00						800.00
Joseph Lai:									
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Convertible Marka		141.00						141.00
Lithuania	Lita		800.00						800.00
Andrew Vanlandingham:									
Japan	Yen		266.00						266.00
United States	Dollar				11,410.25				11,410.25
Senator Richard J. Durbin:									
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Convertible Marka		235.03		111.75				346.78
Lithuania	Lita		1,181.76		1,355.00				2,536.76
Senator Christopher S. Bond:									
Denmark	Kroner		330.00						330.00
Greece	Euro		334.00						
United States	Dollar				9,314.86				9,314.86
Charles M. DuBois:									
Denmark	Kroner		330.00						330.00
Greece	Euro		334.00						334.00
United States	Dollar				9,314.86				9,314.86
Nikole Manatt:									
Switzerland	Franc		290.98						290.98
United States	Dollar				9,089.85				9,089.85
Total			9,135.10		108,624.61				117,759.71

SENATOR DANIEL K. INOUE,
Chairman, Committee on Appropriations, Oct. 2, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95—384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Erskine W. Wells III:									
Bosnia & Herzegovina	Konvertibilna Mark		251.40				11.90		263.30
Lithuania	Lita		807.43				23.98		831.41
Richard Fontaine:									
Libya	Dollar		155.00						155.00
Kuwait	Dollar		59.00						59.00
Yemen	Dollar		129.00						129.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		26.00						26.00
Greece	Dollar		190.00						190.00
Terence K. Laughlin:									
United States	Dollar				11,270.10				11,270.10
Japan	Yen		192.50						192.50
Senator John McCain:									
Libya	Dollar		71.70						71.70
Kuwait	Dollar		11.70						11.70
Yemen	Dollar		62.60						62.60
Afghanistan	Dollar		31.40						31.40
Greece	Dollar		186.26				40.00		226.26

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U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009—Continued

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Senator Susan M. Collins:									
Libya	Dollar		155.00						155.00
Yemen	Dollar		129.00						129.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		76.00						76.00
Greece	Dollar		190.00						190.00
Senator Jack Reed:									
United States	Dollar				8,140.60				8,140.60
Afghanistan	Dollar						8.00		8.00
Carolyn Chuhtar:									
United States	Dollar				8,135.60				8,135.60
Pakistan	Dollar						10.00		10.00
Afghanistan	Dollar						8.00		8.00
Senator Joseph I. Lieberman:									
Libya	Dollar		155.00						155.00
Kuwait	Dollar		159.00						159.00
Yemen	Dollar		129.00						129.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		76.00						76.00
Greece	Dollar		190.00						190.00
Vance F. Serchuk:									
Libya	Dollar		155.00						155.00
Kuwait	Dollar		159.00						159.00
Yemen	Dollar		129.00						129.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		76.00						76.00
Greece	Dollar		190.00						190.00
Brooke Buchanan:									
Libya	Dollar		155.00						155.00
Kuwait	Dollar		159.00						159.00
Yemen	Dollar		129.00						129.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		76.00						76.00
Greece	Dollar		190.00						190.00
Senator Lindsey Graham:									
Libya	Dollar		71.70						71.70
Kuwait	Dollar		23.40						23.40
Yemen	Dollar		59.20						59.20
Afghanistan	Dollar		19.70						19.70
Adam Brake:									
Libya	Dollar		60.00						60.00
Yemen	Dollar		81.50						81.50
Afghanistan	Dollar		66.50						66.50
Michael J. Kuiken:									
United States	Dollar				10,754.00				10,754.00
Mali	Dollar		246.00						246.00
Senegal	Dollar		443.00						443.00
Liberia	Dollar		244.00						244.00
Bayard Winslow Kennett II:									
Libya	Dollar		155.00						155.00
Kuwait	Dollar		159.00						159.00
Yemen	Dollar		129.00						129.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		76.00						76.00
Greece	Dollar		190.00						190.00
Dana W. White:									
United States	Dollar				10,754.00				10,754.00
Mali	Dollar		234.00						234.00
Senegal	Dollar		402.00						402.00
Liberia	Dollar		221.00						221.00
Senator Carl Levin:									
United States	Dollar				4,750.00				4,750.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		8.00						8.00
Richard D. DeBobes:									
United States	Dollar				8,140.00		25.00		8,165.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		8.00						8.00
United Arab Emirates	Dollar		254.00						254.00
William G.P. Monahan:									
United States	Dollar				8,140.00		25.00		8,165.00
Afghanistan	Dollar		8.00						8.00
United Arab Emirates	Dollar		254.00						254.00
Total			8,263.99		70,084.30		151.88		78,500.17

SENATOR CARL LEVIN,
Chairman, Committee on Armed Services, Oct. 21, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95–384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Senator Richard Shelby:									
Germany	Euro		986.00		252.68				1,238.68
Netherlands	Euro		458.00		223.72				681.72
Belgium	Euro		446.00		120.45				566.45
France	Euro		708.00		174.11				882.11
England	Pound		792.00		493.58				1,285.58
United States	Dollar				8,028.09				8,028.09
Anne Caldwell:									
Germany	Euro		986.00		252.68				1,238.68
Netherlands	Euro		458.00		223.72				681.72
Belgium	Euro		446.00		120.45				566.45
France	Euro		708.00		174.11				882.11
England	Pound		198.00		493.58				691.58
United States	Dollar				8,028.09				8,028.09
William D. Duhnke III:									
Germany	Euro		986.00		253.00				1,239.00
Netherlands	Euro		458.00		224.00				682.00
Belgium	Euro		446.00		120.00				566.00
France	Euro		708.00		174.00				882.00
United States	Dollar				8,028.00				8,028.00
Senator Mark Warner:									
France	Euro		708.00						708.00

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U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009—Continued

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
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United States	Dollar				7,840.50				7,840.50
Nathan Steinwald:									
France	Euro		372.24						372.24
United States	Dollar				7,840.50				7,840.50
Jennifer Gallagher:									
Ghana	Cedi		294.00						294.00
Liberia	Dollar		180.00						180.00
United States	Dollar				7,653.20				7,653.20
Total			10,338.24		50,718.46				61,056.70

SENATOR CHRISTOPHER J. DODD,
Chairman, Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs,
Oct. 15, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95-384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

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Melissa Porter:									
United States	Dollar				7,375.20				7,375.20
Spain	Euro		1,332.29						1,332.29
Italy	Euro		1,655.18						1,655.18
John Drake:									
United States	Dollar				7,375.20				7,375.20
Spain	Euro		1,332.29						1,332.29
Italy	Euro		1,655.18						1,655.18
Douglas Mehan:									
United States	Dollar				2,254.80				2,254.80
Spain	Euro		1,332.29						1,332.29
Italy	Euro		1,655.18						1,655.18
Kristen Sairi:									
United States	Dollar				6,584.00				6,584.00
Switzerland	Franc		2,446.00						2,446.00
Total			11,408.41		23,589.20				34,997.61

SENATOR JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER IV,
Chairman, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,
Oct. 30, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95-384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Allen Stayman:									
Palau	Dollar		664.75						664.75
United States	Dollar				10,730.56				10,730.56
Isaac Edwards:									
Palau	Dollar		1,141.50						1,141.50
United States	Dollar				10,730.56				10,730.56
Allyson Anderson:									
Iceland	Dollar		1,715.00						1,715.00
United States	Dollar				3,334.70				3,334.70
Total			3,521.25		24,795.82				28,317.07

SENATOR JEFF BINGAMAN,
Chairman, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, Sept. 30, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95-384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON FINANCE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Senator Maria Cantwell:									
China	RMB		513.00						513.00
United States	Dollar				12,247.00				12,247.00
Senator John Cornyn:									
Germany	Euro		1,423.17		252.68				1,675.85
Netherlands	Euro		1,704.92		223.72				1,928.64
Belgium	Euro		960.04		120.45				1,080.49
France	Euro		2,928.67		174.11				3,102.78
United Kingdom	Pound		1,728.26		493.58				2,221.84
United States	Dollar				8,418.30				8,418.30
Staci Lancaster:									
India	Rupee		312.12						312.12
Ethiopia	Birr		145.39						145.39
United States	Dollar				9,051.82				9,051.82
Chelsea Thomas:									
Kenya	Shilling		127.14						127.14
India	Rupee		443.45						443.45
Ethiopia	Birr		225.48						225.48
United States	Dollar				11,494.31				11,494.31

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U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON FINANCE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009—Continued

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		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Jeffrey Phan:									
India	Rupee		174.12						174.12
Ethiopia	Birr		159.30						159.30
United States	Dollar				10,023.82				10,023.82
Claudia Poteet:									
Kenya	Shilling		163.94						163.94
United States	Dollar				9,887.00				9,887.00
Christopher Campbell:									
India	Rupee		455.26						455.26
Ethiopia	Birr		241.41						241.41
United States	Dollar				9,938.83				9,938.83
Amber Cottle:									
India	Rupee		336.44						366.44
Ethiopia	Birr		223.03						223.03
United States	Dollar				9,051.82				9,051.82
Travis Steven Jordan:									
India	Rupee		290.09						290.09
Ethiopia	Birr		195.12						195.12
United States	Dollar				4,068.82				4,068.82
Karin Hope:									
India	Rupee		253.92						253.92
Ethiopia	Birr		229.11						229.11
United States	Dollar				10,023.82				10,023.82
David Kavanaugh:									
India	Rupee		559.53						559.53
Ethiopia	Birr		209.43						209.43
United States	Dollar				8,930.32				8,930.32
Ayesha Khanna:									
India	Rupee		445.38						445.38
Ethiopia	Birr		207.79						207.79
United States	Dollar				8,837.31				8,837.31
Elizabeth Quint:									
India	Rupee		246.00						246.00
Ethiopia	Birr		157.66						157.66
United States	Dollar				10,023.82				10,023.82
Russell Thomasson:									
India	Rupee		382.52						382.52
Ethiopia	Birr		301.72						301.72
United States	Dollar				10,023.82				10,023.82
John Christopher Phillips:									
India	Rupee		240.95						240.95
Ethiopia	Birr		194.39						194.39
United States	Dollar				9,051.82				9,051.82
Jonathan Hale:									
China	RMB		635.74						635.74
United States	Dollar				10,199.20				10,199.20
Katharine Lister:									
China	RMB		334.53						334.53
United States	Dollar				10,789.20				10,789.20
Total			17,149.02		163,325.57				180,474.59

SENATOR MAX BAUCUS,
Chairman, Committee on Finance, Oct. 30, 2009.

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Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Senator John Barrasso:									
United States	Dollar				8,113.59				8,113.59
Senator Robert Casey, Jr.:									
United Arab Emirates	Dollar		402.71						402.71
Afghanistan	Dollar		60.00						60.00
Pakistan	Dollar		100.00						100.00
United States	Dollar				13,029.54				13,029.54
Senator Bob Corker:									
Israel	Shekel		615.00						615.00
United States	Dollar				10,078.51				10,078.51
Senator Bob Corker:									
United Arab Emirates	Dirham		210.00						210.00
Afghanistan	Afghani		176.00						176.00
Pakistan	Rupee		230.00						230.00
United States	Dollar				9,685.71				9,685.71
Senator Kirsten Gillibrand:									
United States	Dollar				399.60				399.60
Senator Kirsten Gillibrand:									
Israel	Shekel		120.00						120.00
United States	Dollar				5,393.21				5,393.21
Senator Edward E. Kaufman:									
Afghanistan	Dollar		8.00						8.00
United States	Dollar				8,210.91				8,210.91
Senator Richard Lugar:									
United Kingdom	Pound		446.00						446.00
Turkey	Lira		197.00						197.00
United States	Dollar				8,369.54				8,369.54
Senator Jim Webb:									
Thailand	Baht		1,189.70						1,189.70
Laos	Kip		502.84						502.84
Burma	Kyat		277.00						277.00
Vietnam	Dong		1,440.00						1,440.00
United States	Dollar				11,633.00				11,633.00
Fulton Armstrong:									
Belgium	Euro		528.77						528.77
United States	Dollar				6,862.60				6,862.60
Daniel Benaim:									
Israel	Shekel		652.00						652.00
United States	Dollar				9,134.40				9,134.40

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Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Daniel Benaim:									
Egypt	Pound		343.00						343.00
Jordan	Dinar		607.00						607.00
United States	Dollar				7,298.51				7,298.51
Jonah Blank:									
India	Dollar		2,402.00						2,402.00
Thailand	Dollar		284.75						284.75
United States	Dollar				11,466.32				11,466.32
David Bonine:									
Thailand	Baht		639.00						639.00
Vietnam	Dong		940.00						940.00
United States	Dollar				9,739.70				9,739.70
Jay Braneagan:									
Russia	Ruble		794.00						794.00
Ukraine	Hryvnia		242.00						242.00
United Kingdom	Pound		165.00						165.00
United States	Dollar				9,481.83				9,481.83
Elana Broitman:									
Dominican Republic	Peso		155.00						155.00
United States	Dollar				1,399.80				1,399.80
Elana Broitman:									
Israel	Shekel		429.31						429.31
United States	Dollar				5,518.60				5,518.60
Neil Brown:									
United Kingdom	Pound		446.00						446.00
Turkey	Lira		197.00						197.00
United States	Dollar				8,369.54				8,369.54
Jason Bruder:									
Moldova	Leu		509.00						509.00
Georgia	Lari		1,404.00						1,404.00
Russia	Ruble		2,285.19						2,285.19
United States	Dollar				9,664.00				9,664.00
Heidi Crebo-Rediker:									
Philippines	Peso		452.75						452.75
Singapore	Dollar		436.42						436.42
China	RMB		1,657.06						1,657.06
United States	Dollar				12,795.00				12,795.00
Steven Feldstein:									
Uganda	Shilling		1,333.00						1,333.00
Moldova	Leu		145.00						145.00
Georgia	Lari		1,016.00						1,016.00
United States	Dollar				13,600.54				13,600.54
Andy Fisher:									
United Kingdom	Pound		446.00						446.00
Turkey	Lira		197.00						197.00
United States	Dollar				8,369.54				8,369.54
Doug Frantz:									
Belgium	Euro		582.80						582.80
United States	Dollar				6,862.60				6,862.60
Patrick Garvey:									
Kuwait	Dollar		159.00						159.00
United States	Dollar				8,393.30				8,393.30
Dillon Guthrie:									
Moldova	Leu		551.00						551.00
Georgia	Lari		1,404.00						1,404.00
United States	Dollar				9,437.67				9,437.67
Frank Jannuzzi:									
China	RMB		978.00						978.00
Republic of Korea	Won		1,200.00						1,200.00
United States	Dollar				7,771.41				7,771.41
Andrew Keller:									
Germany	Euro		520.00						520.00
United States	Dollar				7,606.01				7,606.01
Rori Kramer:									
Uganda	Shilling		218.00						218.00
United States	Dollar				10,227.56				10,227.56
Chad Kreikemeier:									
Russia	Ruble		1,589.90						1,589.90
United States	Dollar				7,453.80				7,453.80
Robin Lerner:									
Malaysia	Ringgit		345.46						345.46
Cambodia	Riel		168.00						168.00
Thailand	Baht		687.74						687.74
United States	Dollar				10,290.18				10,290.18
Mark Lopes:									
Colombia	Dollar		1,782.00						1,782.00
United States	Dollar				2,143.70				2,143.70
Nicholas Ma:									
Philippines	Peso		540.00						540.00
Singapore	Dollar		631.00						631.00
China	RMB		931.00						931.00
United States	Dollar				12,825.58				12,825.58
Marta McLellan Ross:									
Thailand	Baht		592.50						592.50
Laos	Kip		478.00						478.00
Burma	Kyat		277.00						277.00
United States	Dollar				12,290.00				12,290.00
Kenneth Myers, Jr.:									
United Kingdom	Pound		446.00						446.00
Turkey	Lira		197.00						197.00
United States	Dollar				8,369.54				8,369.54
Melanie Nakagawa:									
Germany	Euro		839.58						839.58
United States	Dollar				7,606.01				7,606.01
Ann Norris:									
Cambodia	Dollar		230.00						230.00
Thailand	Baht		660.00						660.00
United States	Dollar				4,393.20				4,393.20
Stacie Oliver:									
United Arab Emirates	Dirham		210.00						210.00
Afghanistan	Afghani		176.00						176.00
Pakistan	Rupee		345.00						345.00
United States	Dollar				4,089.10				4,089.10
Michael Phelan:									
Pakistan	Rupee		360.00						360.00

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Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Kenya	Shilling		838.83						838.83
United States	Dollar				10,965.00				10,965.00
Peter Quaranto:									
South Africa	Rand		890.00						890.00
Zimbabwe	Dollar		885.00						885.00
Angola	Dollar		1,166.00						1,166.00
United States	Dollar				9,787.19				9,787.19
Nilmini Rubin:									
Ghana	Cedi		830.14						830.14
United States	Dollar				4,726.60				4,726.60
Shannon Smith:									
Senegal	CFA		425.00						425.00
Chad	CFA		1,365.00						1,365.00
United States	Dollar				9,713.57				9,713.57
Halie Soifer:									
Afghanistan	Dollar		21.00						21.00
United States	Dollar				8,140.59				8,140.59
Atman Trivedi:									
Japan	Yen		1,807.88						1,807.88
United States	Dollar				12,827.50				12,827.50
Atman Trivedi:									
China	RMB		1,344.00						1,344.00
Republic of Korea	Won		1,200.00						1,200.00
Vietnam	Dong		1,396.00						1,396.00
United States	Dollar				11,261.59				11,261.59
Laura Winthrop:									
Uganda	Shilling		1,479.00						1,479.00
Chad	CFA		693.00						693.00
United States	Dollar				10,979.04				10,979.04
Todd Womack:									
Israel	Shekel		615.00						615.00
United States	Dollar				10,078.51				10,078.51
Debbie Yamada:									
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Marka		198.00						198.00
Lithuania	Lita		800.00						800.00
Charles Ziegler:									
United States	Dollar				8,113.59				8,113.59
Total			57,733.33		404,966.83				462,700.16

SENATOR JOHN F. KERRY,
Chairman, Committee on Foreign Relations, Oct. 22, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95-384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Amy Carroll:									
United States	Dollar				1,163.45				1,163.45
Germany	Euro		30.00						30.00
Norway	Kroner		975.00						975.00
Denmark	Kroner		30.00						30.00
Carol Woodcock:									
United States	Dollar				845.12				845.12
Norway	Kroner		1,150.00						1,150.00
Jennifer Hemingway:									
United States	Dollar				6,299.66				6,299.66
Tunisia	Dinar		75.68		21.00		46.00		142.68
Turkey	Lira		131.66		33.00		46.00		210.66
Israel	Shekel		201.94		88.37		32.00		322.31
Tajikistan	Somoni		25.50				20.00		45.50
Thomas Bishop:									
United States	Dollar				6,299.66				6,299.66
Tunisia	Dinar		57.30				35.00		92.30
Turkey	Lira		129.85		10.00		10.00		149.85
Israel	Shekel		255.35		30.00		121.00		406.35
Tajikistan	Somoni		20.00				5.00		25.00
Joel Spangenberg:									
United States	Dollar				6,299.66				6,299.66
Tunisia	Dinar		60.61				35.61		96.22
Turkey	Lira		142.74		6.69		8.94		158.37
Israel	Shekel		175.16				13.19		188.35
Tajikistan	Somoni		6.83				5.00		11.83
Jessica Nagasako:									
United States	Dollar				6,299.66				6,299.66
Tunisia	Dinar		56.82						56.82
Turkey	Lira		127.84		8.03				135.87
Israel	Shekel		178.73						178.73
Tajikistan	Somoni		6.83				4.56		11.39
Bradford Belzak:									
United States	Dollar				1,287.58				1,287.58
Austria	Euro		396.84						396.84
Tara Shaw:									
United States	Dollar				4,939.94				4,939.94
Slovakia	Euro		21.35						21.35
Austria	Euro		345.30		14.27		1.43		361.00
Germany	Euro		271.65		15.08		7.90		294.63
Poland	Zloty		109.08						109.08
France	Euro		41.31		54.09				95.40
Bias Nunez-Neto:									
United States	Dollar		0.00		4,939.94				4,939.94
Austria	Euro		402.00						402.00
Germany	Euro		408.00						408.00
Poland	Zloty		97.00						97.00
France	Euro		81.00						81.00

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U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009—Continued

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Total	6,011.37	.....	38,655.20	.....	391.63	.....	45,058.20

SENATOR JOSEPH F. LIEBERMAN,
Chairman, Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs,
Oct. 16, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95–384—22
U.S.C. 1754, COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, EDUCATION, LABOR, AND PENSIONS FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Senator Sherrod Brown:									
United Arab Emirates	Dirham .....	.....	95.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95.00
Afghanistan	Afghani .....	.....	16.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.00
United States	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	10,717.89	.....	.....	.....	10,717.89
Mark Powden:									
United Arab Emirates	Dirham .....	.....	91.61	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	91.61
Afghanistan	Afghani .....	.....	16.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.00
United States	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	10,424.89	.....	.....	.....	10,424.89
Janice Kaguyutan:									
Malaysia	Ringgit .....	.....	193.64	.....	29.49	.....	23.33	.....	246.46
Cambodia	Dollar .....	.....	214.66	.....	25.00	.....	23.33	.....	262.99
Thailand	Baht .....	.....	652.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	652.75
United States	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	10,320.18	.....	.....	.....	10,320.18
Total .....	.....	.....	1,279.66	.....	31,517.45	.....	46.66	.....	32,843.77

SENATOR TOM HARKIN,
Chairman, Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions,
Oct. 22, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95–384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Andrew Kerr .....	.....	.....	3,326.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,326.00
Randall Bookout	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	12,511.66	.....	.....	.....	12,511.66
.....	.....	.....	1,609.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,609.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	9,767.87	.....	.....	.....	9,767.87
Gordon Matlock .....	.....	.....	3,326.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,326.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	12,511.66	.....	.....	.....	12,511.66
Bryan Smith .....	.....	.....	546.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	546.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	1,546.73	.....	.....	.....	1,546.73
Michael Pevzner .....	.....	.....	2,245.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,245.50
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	11,192.37	.....	.....	.....	11,192.37
John Maguire .....	.....	.....	2,362.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,362.40
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	10,252.35	.....	.....	.....	10,252.35
Dafna Hochman .....	.....	.....	282.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	282.70
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	11,237.98	.....	.....	.....	11,237.98
David Koger .....	.....	.....	1,744.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,744.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	7,375.39	.....	.....	.....	7,375.39
Andrew Kerr .....	.....	.....	1,676.49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,676.49
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	7,425.39	.....	.....	.....	7,425.39
Richard Girven .....	.....	.....	1,644.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,644.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	7,425.39	.....	.....	.....	7,425.39
Michael Bichwald .....	.....	.....	1,643.49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,643.49
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	7,427.60	.....	.....	.....	7,427.60
Randall Bookout .....	.....	.....	1,818.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,818.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	12,323.42	.....	.....	.....	12,323.42
John Dickas .....	.....	.....	1,571.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,571.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	12,323.00	.....	.....	.....	12,323.00
Paul Matulic .....	.....	.....	1,818.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,818.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	12,122.00	.....	.....	.....	12,122.00
Jennifer Wagner .....	.....	.....	192.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	192.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	9,766.70	.....	.....	.....	9,766.70
James Smythers .....	.....	.....	1,609.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,609.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	8,795.87	.....	.....	.....	8,795.87
Senator Bill Nelson .....	.....	.....	2,129.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,129.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	8,505.91	.....	.....	.....	8,505.91
Caroline Tess .....	.....	.....	2,552.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,552.00
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	10,139.41	.....	.....	.....	10,139.41
Greta Lundeborg .....	.....	.....	2,664.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,664.30
.....	Dollar .....	.....	.....	.....	10,875.31	.....	.....	.....	10,875.31
Total .....	.....	.....	34,758.88	.....	183,526.01	.....	.....	.....	218,284.89

SENATOR DIANNE FEINSTEIN,
Chairman, Committee on Intelligence, Oct. 27, 2009.

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U.S.C. 1754(b), JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE, FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Chair Carolyn B. Maloney:									
United States	Dollar				11,605.50				11,605.50
China	Renminbi		1,885.29						1,885.29
Gail Elaine Cohen:									
United States	Dollar				11,605.50				11,605.50
China	Renminbi		1,744.29						1,744.29
Barry Nolan:									
United States	Dollar				11,605.50				11,605.50
China	Renminbi		1,885.29						1,885.29
Total			5,514.87		34,816.50				40,331.37

REPRESENTATIVE CAROLYN B. MALONEY,
Chairman, Joint Economic Committee, Oct. 26, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95–384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), CONGRESSIONAL-EXECUTIVE COMMISSION ON CHINA FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Andrea Worden:									
China	Yuan		4,401.00				2,216.00		6,617.00
United States	Dollar				5,297.83				5,297.83
Lawrence Liu:									
China	Yuan		4,401.00				2,216.00		6,617.00
United States	Dollar				5,297.83				5,297.83
Douglas Grob:									
China	Yuan		4,401.00				2,216.00		6,617.00
United States	Dollar				5,297.83				5,297.83
Total			13,203.00		15,893.49		6,648.00		35,744.49

SENATOR BYRON L. DORGAN,
Chairman, Congressional-Executive Commission on China, Oct. 23, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95–384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMISSION ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE FOR TRAVEL FROM JULY 1 TO SEPT. 30, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Erika Schlager:									
Slovakia	Euro		424.50						424.50
Austria	Euro		996.21						996.21
United States	Dollar				6,166.81				6,166.81
Janice Helwig:									
Kyrgyzstan	Som		1,476.50						1,476.50
United States	Dollar				7,216.52				7,216.52
Orest Deychakiwsky:									
Kyrgyzstan	Som		1,476.50						1,476.50
United States	Dollar				7,216.52				7,216.52
Shelly Han:									
Ghana	Cedi		505.00						505.00
Liberia	Dollar		500.00						500.00
United States	Dollar				7,593.20				7,593.20
Alex Johnson:									
Austria	Euro		1,122.00						1,122.00
United States	Dollar				7,239.80				7,239.80
Winsome Packer:									
Austria	Euro		32,416.02						32,416.02
United States	Dollar				6,106.60				6,106.60
Total			38,916.73		41,539.45				80,456.18

SENATOR BENJAMIN L. CARDIN,
Chairman, Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe,
Oct. 21, 2009.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95–384—22
U.S.C. 1754(b), REPUBLICAN LEADER FOR TRAVEL FROM AUG. 9 TO AUG. 16, 2009

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Tom Hawkins:									
United States	Dollar				8,106.00				8,106.00
Saudi Arabia	Saudi Riyal		1,293.00						1,293.00
Yemen	Dollar		167.00						167.00
Total			1,460.00		8,106.00				9,566.00

SENATOR MITCH MCCONNELL,
Republican Leader, Sept. 18, 2009.

NATIONAL MILITARY FAMILY MONTH

Mr. CASEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of S. Res. 336, submitted earlier today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 336) expressing the sense of the Senate regarding designation of the month of November 2009 as "National Military Family Month."

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. CASEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table, with no intervening action or debate, and any statements related to the resolution be printed in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The resolution (S. Res. 336) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:

S. RES. 336

Whereas military families, through their sacrifices and their dedication to the United States and its values, represent the bedrock upon which the United States was founded and upon which the country continues to rely in these perilous and challenging times: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That—

(1) it is the sense of the Senate that the month of November 2009 should be designated as "National Military Family Month"; and

(2) the Senate encourages the people of the United States to observe "National Military Family Month" with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

JOINT REFERRAL—EXECUTIVE CALENDAR

Mr. CASEY. Mr. President, as in executive session, I ask unanimous consent that the nomination of Suresh Kumar, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service, received in the Senate on October 29, 2009, and referred to the Banking Committee on November 2, now be jointly referred to the Commerce Committee.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

DISCHARGE AND REFERRAL—S. 1506

Mr. CASEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that S. 1506 be discharged from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and be referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2009

Mr. CASEY. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 9:30 a.m., Thursday, November 5; that following the prayer and the pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate proceed to a period for the transaction of morning business for 2 hours, with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes each, with the time equally divided and controlled between the two leaders or their designees, with the majority controlling the first half and the Republicans controlling the final half; that following morning business, the Senate execute the order with respect to H.R. 2847, the Commerce, Justice, Science appropriations bill, as provided for under the previous order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. CASEY. Mr. President, following morning business, there will be 40 minutes for debate prior to a cloture vote on the committee-reported substitute amendment to H.R. 2847. Therefore, Senators should expect the first vote of the day to begin around 12:15 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:30 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. CASEY. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that it adjourn under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 7:32 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, November 5, 2009, at 9:30 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

THE JUDICIARY

ALBERT DIAZ, OF NORTH CAROLINA, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT, VICE WILLIAM W. WILKINS, JR., RETIRED.

JAMES A. WYNN, JR., OF NORTH CAROLINA, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT, VICE JAMES DICKSON PHILLIPS, JR., RETIRED.

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

GRAYLING GRANT WILLIAMS, OF MARYLAND, TO BE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF COUNTERNARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT, DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, VICE UTTAM DHILLON, RESIGNED.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

JOHN GIBBONS, OF MASSACHUSETTS, TO BE UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE ANTHONY DICHIO.

ROBERT WILLIAM HEUN, OF ALASKA, TO BE UNITED STATES MARSHAL FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA FOR THE TERM OF FOUR YEARS, VICE RANDY MERLIN JOHNSON.

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED

WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. RICHARD P. FORMICA

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. MICHAEL L. OATES

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE RESERVE OF THE ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203:

To be major general

BRIG. GEN. CHARLES J. BARR

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED INDIVIDUAL FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be vice admiral

REAR ADM. MICHAEL A. LEFEVER

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED INDIVIDUAL FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY NURSE CORPS UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 3064:

To be major

EDWIN S. FULLER

THE FOLLOWING NAMED INDIVIDUAL FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE CORPS UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 3064:

To be lieutenant colonel

ROBERT J. SCHULTZ

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT IN THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 531:

To be lieutenant colonel

CLEMENT D. KETCHUM

To be major

JOHN LOPEZ

THE FOLLOWING NAMED INDIVIDUALS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY DENTAL CORPS UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 3064:

To be lieutenant colonel

CAREY L. MITCHELL
JOHN J. OTTEN

To be major

CHU N. LEE
MELISSA F. TUCKER

THE FOLLOWING NAMED INDIVIDUALS FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADES INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY MEDICAL CORPS UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 531 AND 3064:

To be colonel

CRAIG R. BOTTONI

To be lieutenant colonel

VITTORIO G. GUERRIERO
ROBERT L. HASH
KATHY B. PORTER

To be major

CHUNHUI CHAO
PATRICK J. FULLERTON
ANDREW GAGE
MATTHEW B. HARRISON
JAMES B. LINDBERG
AKASH S. TAGGARSE

CONFIRMATION

Executive nomination confirmed by the Senate, November 4, 2009:

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

TARA JEANNE O'TOOLE, OF MARYLAND, TO BE UNDER SECRETARY FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY.

THE ABOVE NOMINATION WAS APPROVED SUBJECT TO THE NOMINEE'S COMMITMENT TO RESPOND TO REQUESTS TO APPEAR AND TESTIFY BEFORE ANY DULY CONSTITUTED COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE.